CVA Change Circular 238

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To	CVA Change Circular List
From	BSC Operations
Purpose	For Review

Invitation to review Configurable Items amended as part of the November 2012 Release of BSC Systems

What is the purpose of this Circular?

The November 2012 Release of BSC Systems (the "November 12 Release") includes one Approved Modification (P278, Treatment of Transmission Losses for Interconnector Users) and one approved Change Proposal (CP1368, Clarify/Resolve Operational Issues Related to Unmetered Supplies in SMRS). No amendments to Configurable Items relating to P278 were developed during the progression of P278.

All other Configurable Items amended for the "November 12 Release" are Category 1 documents relating to Change Proposals, and so have already been reviewed and approved.

This Circular presents the amended Configurable Items for P278 for your review.

Do I need to review these documents?

The main aspect of P278 is that it removes costs associated with Transmission Losses for Interconnectors. However, P278 also changes the algorithm for the calculation of costs associated with Transmission Losses for all other Parties. If you have a system that calculates your trading charges, you are likely to be impacted by P278.

Note that there are no changes to the format of the Settlement Report (SAA-I014), just the method of calculation of the trading charges contained in the Settlement Report.

What else may be included in the November 12 Release?

In addition to P278 and CP1368, three further Change proposals, CP1376, CP1377 and CP1378, are proposed for inclusion in the November 12 Release. These CPs only impact Category 1 documentation, which will be approved with the CPs.

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Full details of these Change Proposals are available from the November 12 Release page of the BSC Website.

What Documents do I need to review?

The table below lists all documents for review, which are available for download from the November 12 Release page of the ELEXON website.

Configurable Item	Version No.	Change
BMRA Service Description	17.2	P278
BMRA User Requirements Specification	16.2	P278
SAA Service Description	20.2	P278
SAA User Requirements Specification	14.2	P278

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